

**MINUTES OF THE COMMITTEE
ON
HEALTH POLICY**

Thursday, January 31, 2008

9:00 a.m.

Room 519 House Office Building

The House Standing Committee on Health Policy was called to order by the Chair.

Members present: Reps. Angerer, Simpson, Byrum, Clack, Corriveau, Coulouris, Donigan, Hammon, Robert Jones, Valentine, Wojno, Gaffney, Marleau, Green, Ball, Calley, Robertson.

Members absent/excused: Reps. Hune.

Representative Clack moved to approve the minutes of the December 13, 2007 meeting. There being no objection, the motion prevailed by unanimous consent.

The Chair laid HB 5171 and HB 5322 before the committee.

HB 5171 Meadows Health; immunizations; information regarding risks and availability of human papillomavirus immunization; require department to identify and provide to schools.

HB 5322 Clack Education; students; certain information concerning human papillomavirus (HPV) and HPV immunization; require schools to provide under certain circumstances.

Representative Mark Meadows, sponsor of HB 5171, Representative Brenda Clack, sponsor of HB 5322, and Senator Deborah Cherry testified in support of the bills. Representative Meadows also submitted written testimony. Questions and discussion among committee members followed.

Brennan Schwarz, Lisa Chaps, Rachelle Jarrad, and Megan Thieman of East Lansing testified in support of the bills. Ms. Schwarz, Ms. Chaps, Ms. Jarrad, and Ms. Thieman also submitted written testimony. Questions and discussion among committee members followed.

Curtis Hertel Jr. and Bob Swanson of the Michigan Department of Community Health testified in support of the bills. Questions and discussion among committee members followed.

Tony Opiari of the American College of Obstetricians and Gynecologists testified in support of the bills. Questions and discussion among committee members followed.

The following individuals submitted cards in support of the bills, but did not wish to testify:

Dan Jarvis of the Michigan Family Forum. Mr. Jarvis also submitted written testimony. Sophie Baker of the Michigan Women's Commission. Ms. Baker also submitted written testimony.

Mark Bertler of the Michigan Association for Local Public Health.
Denise Sloan of the Michigan chapter of the American Academy of Pediatrics.
Linda Burghardt of the Michigan chapter of the National Association of Social Workers.
Mary Pollack of Michigan NOW.
Peter Ruddell of the American Cancer Society and the Karmanos Cancer Institute.
Sarah Scranton of Planned Parenthood.

Suzanne Waltman of Michigan Opposing Mandatory Vaccines submitted written testimony in support of the bills, but did not wish to speak.

Representative Simpson moved to adopt substitute (H-1) for HB 5171. **The motion prevailed 17-0-0.**

FAVORABLE ROLL CALL

Yeas: Reps. Angerer, Byrum, Simpson, Clack, Corriveau, Coulouris, Donigan, Hammon, Robert Jones, Valentine, Wojno, Gaffney, Marleau, Green, Ball, Calley, Robertson.

Nays: None.

Pass: None.

Representative Robert Jones moved to report HB 5171 with recommendation as substitute (H-1). **The motion prevailed 16-0-1.**

FAVORABLE ROLL CALL

Yeas: Reps. Angerer, Simpson, Byrum, Clack, Corriveau, Coulouris, Donigan, Hammon, Robert Jones, Valentine, Wojno, Gaffney, Marleau, Green, Ball, Calley.

Nays: None.

Pass: Rep. Robertson.

Representative Hammon moved to adopt substitute (H-1) for HB 5322. **The motion prevailed 17-0-0.**

FAVORABLE ROLL CALL

Yeas: Reps. Angerer, Simpson, Byrum, Clack, Corriveau, Coulouris, Donigan, Hammon, Robert Jones, Valentine, Wojno, Gaffney, Marleau, Green, Ball, Calley, Robertson.

Nays: None.

Pass: None.

Representative Wojno moved to report HB 5322 with recommendation as substitute (H-1). **The motion prevailed 16-0-1.**

FAVORABLE ROLL CALL

Yeas: Reps. Angerer, Simpson, Byrum, Clack, Corriveau, Coulouris, Donigan, Hammon, Robert Jones, Valentine, Wojno, Gaffney, Marleau, Green, Ball, Calley.

Nays: None.

Pass: Rep. Robertson.

Representative Gaffney moved to excuse the absence of Representative Hune. There being no objection, the motion prevailed by unanimous consent.

There being no further business before the committee, the Chair adjourned the meeting at 9:52 a.m.

Representative Kathy Angerer, Chair _____

Dan Stump, Committee Clerk
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